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Inventor(s): Sivapackia Ganapathiappan

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Title: AMPHIPATHIC POLYMER PARTICLES AND METHODS OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment
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(X) No additional fee
() Other: _____ (fee \$ _____)

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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$88	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$300	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$430.00	3RD MONTH \$980.00	4TH MONTH \$1530.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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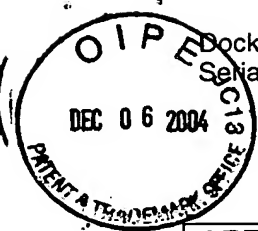
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Dear Sir:

The present amendment and remarks are in response to the Office Action of September 2, 2004, where the Examiner rejected all of the pending claims. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the accompanying responsive amendment and remarks.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS FOR AMENDMENTS

Please amend the claims in the manner indicated below. In the following amendment, an underline is used to indicate new text. Previously, claims 1-5 and 11-23 were cancelled. The amendment to claim 6 is supported by the specification on page 6, lines 17-24, as originally filed. Support for new claim 24 can be found on page 6, lines 15-25. Accordingly, it is believed that no new matter is added by the following amendment to the claim.